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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: ARRAVEN PROJECT

REF: CARACAS 3707, CARACAS 3445

1. WE HAVE HAD LITTLE SUCCESS DEVELOPING RESPONSE TO
SUBJECT PROJECT. THE MAJOR BLAST FURNACE BUILDERS
(MCKEE, KOPPERS) INDICATE THAT THE FACILITY AT 100,000 MT/Y
IS TOO SMALL. EVIDENTLY SMALL PLANTS LIKE ARRAVEN ARE
MORE COMMON IN EUROPE THAN IN THE U.S. THE STEEL
ENGINEERING FIRMS CONTACTED (SWINDELL, RUST, DRAVO,
USS ENGINEERS) REPORT THAT THEY HAVE ONLY LIMITED
EXPERIENCE IN THIS AREA. WE WILL CONTINUE IN OUR

ATTEMPTS TO FIND QUALIFIED FIRMS AND WILL KEEP POST
INFORMED.

2. ANDCO/ANDRECO EXPRESSED INTEREST ALTHOUGH THEY HAVE
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NO PREVIOUS KNOWLEDGE OF THE PROJECT. ANDCO HAS PRIOR
EXPERIENCE WITH BRITISH STEEL/W. S. ATKINS AND POSSIBLY
THEY REFERRED DR. EGANA TO THE COMPANY. WE ARE CHECKING
ON ANDCO'S BONA-FIDES TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER THEY'RE
QUALIFIED FOR THE JOB. WILL KEEP POST APPRISED OF OUR
FINDINGS.
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